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To: Microsoft ATR
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Subject: Microsoft Settlement

Dear Sir/Madam,

I write to express my discontent with the current settlement proposal for the Microsoft anti-trust case. I believe the proposed measures fall far short of punishments necessary to rein in Microsoft's monopolistic activities. In fact, the nature of the settlement appears to gloss over the fact that Microsoft was found GUILTY of violating anti-trust laws and therefore harmed its competitors.

In my opinion, an adequate settlement would punish Microsoft for its past behaviors and compensate the companies, technologies, and users who were harmed as a result of Microsoft's harmful practices. The current settlement does none of these things and appears to be a "wristslap". Microsoft must provide source code for both its operating system and internet browser to its competitors to strip it of the advantages it gained by its harmful. There also must be significant behavioral controls (with penalties) to guard against future anti-trust violations.

Microsoft is still benefiting greatly from the advantages it gained by unlawful actions. This must be punsihed!

Signed, Bo Turnbow

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